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The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen united States of America.

When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation. We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. — That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, — That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shewn, that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security. — Such has been the patient sufferance of these Colonies; and such is now the necessity which constrains them to alter their former Systems of Government. The history of the present King of Great Britain is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these States. To prove this, let facts be submitted to a candid world. — He has refused his Assent to Laws, the most wholesome and necessary for the public good. — He has forbidden his Governors to pass Laws of immediate and pressing importance, unless suspended in their operation till his Assent should be obtained; and when so suspended, he has utterly neglected to attend to them. — He has refused to pass other Laws for the accommodation of large districts of people, unless those people would relinquish the right of Representation in the Legislature, a right inestimable to them and formidable to tyrants only. — He has called together legislative Bodies at places unusual, uncomfortable, and distant from the depository of their public Records, for the sole purpose of fatiguing them into compliance with his measures. — He has dissolved Representative Houses repeatedly, for opposing with manly firmness his invasions on the rights of the people. — He has refused for along time, after such dissolutions, to cause others to be elected; whereby the Legislative powers, incapable of Annihilation, have returned to the People at large for their exercise; the State remaining in the meantime exposed to all the dangers of invasion from without, and convulsions within. — He has endeavoured to prevent the population of these States; for that purpose obstructing the Law for Naturalization of Foreigners; refusing to pass others to encourage their migrations hither, and raising the conditions of new Appropriations of Lands. — He has obstructed the Administration of Justice, by refusing his Assent to Laws for establishing Judiciary powers. — He has made Judges dependent on his Will alone, for the tenure of their offices, and the amount and payment of their salaries. — He has erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent hither swarms of Officers to harass our people, and eat out their substance. — He has kept among us, in times of peace, Standing Armies without the Consent of our Legislatures. — He has affected to render the Military independent of and superior to the civil power. — He has combined with others to subject us to a jurisdiction foreign to our constitution, and unacknowledged by our Laws; giving his Assent to their Acts of pretended Legislation: — For quartering large bodies of armed troops among us: — For protecting them, by a mock Trial, from punishment for any Murders which they should commit on the Inhabitants of these States: — For cutting off our Trade with all parts of the world: — For imposing Taxes on us without our Consent: — For depriving us in many cases, of the benefits of Trial by jury: — For transporting us beyond Seas to be tried for pretended offences: — For abolishing the free System of English Laws in a neighbouring Province, establishing therein an Arbitrary government, and enlarging its Boundaries so as to render it at once an example and fit instrument for introducing the same absolute rule into these Colonies: — For taking away our Charters, abolishing our most valuable Laws and altering fundamentally the Forms of our Governments: — For suspending our own Legislatures, and declaring themselves invested with power to legislate for us in all cases whatsoever. — He has abdicated Government here, by declaring us out of his Protection and waging War against us. — He has plundered our seas, ravaged our coasts, burnt our towns, and destroyed the lives of our people. — He is at this time transporting large Armies of foreign Mercenaries to complete the works of death, desolation and tyranny, already begun with circumstances of cruelty, perfidy and insupportable oppression; and to hold the whole land under the yoke of his absolute power. — He has constrained our fellow Citizens taken captive on the high Seas to bear Arms against their Country, to become the execrable murderers of their friends and Brethren, or to fall themselves by their Hands. — He has excited domestic insurrections amongst us, and has endeavoured to bring on the inhabitants of our frontiers, the merciless Indian Savages, whose known rule of warfare, is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and conditions. In every stage of these Oppressions We have Petitioned for Redress in the most humble terms: Our repeated Petitions have been answered by insult and injury. — A Prince, whose character is thus marked by every act which may define a Tyrant, is unfit to be the ruler of a free people. — Nor have We been wanting in attentions to our British Brethren. We have warned them from time to time of attempts by their Legislature to extend an unwarrantable Jurisdiction over us. We have reminded them of the circumstances of our emigration and settlement here. We have appealed to their native justice and magnanimity, and we have conjured them by the ties of our common kindred to disavow these usurpations, which, would inevitably interrupt our connections and correspondence. They too have been deaf to the voice of justice and of consanguinity. We must, therefore, acquiesce in the necessity, which denounces our separation, and hold them, as we hold the rest of mankind, Enemies in War, in Peace Friends.

We, therefore, the Representatives of the united States of America, in General Congress, Assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, do, in the Name and by Authority of the good People of these Colonies, solemnly publish and declare, That these United Colonies are, and of Right ought to be Free and Independent States; that they are Absolved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain, is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Power to levy War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, establish Commerce, and to do all other Acts and Things which Independent States may of right do. — And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes and our sacred Honor.

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Gov. Hooper
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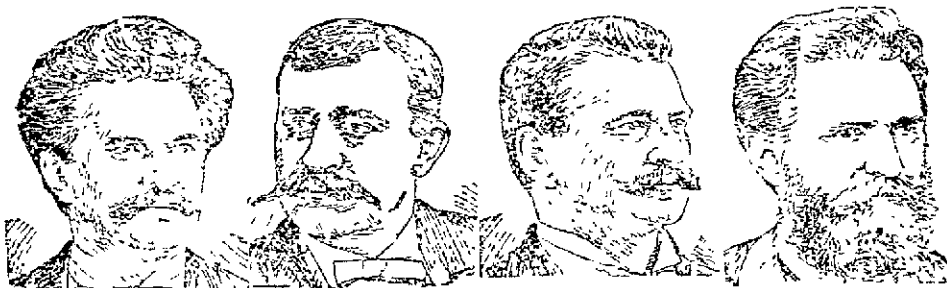
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WHITE METAL MEN ARE CONFIDENT

Bland and Boies Boomers at Work on the Early Arriving Delegates—Attitude Expected a One-Day Convention if Silver Men Are in Control.

Chicago, July 3.—The proverbial calm before the storm prevails to-day. Having accomplished everything possible in advance of the arrival of a respectable number of silver delegates on the ground the democratic bimetallic national committee and those co-operating with it are taking a rest from their labors so far as meddling or conferring are concerned, until this evening when another round-up of all the white metal supporters then in Chicago will be in order. The ranks of the 16 to 1 advocates were reinforced last night by the arrival of Dr. J. J. Mott of North Carolina, chairman of the executive committee of the independent or new silver party, formed in Washington a year ago. Without consultation with any of the silver people that had preceded him, he sent out an invitation for a conference to-morrow night of representatives of every party and faction favorable to silver, including populists, silver democrats and silver republicans. As to what it was intended to accomplish by this conference Dr. Mott was reticent, but the expression of sentiment among those that flocked to his quarters during the day indicated preference for the nomination next week of such a candidate as could be endorsed by the silver and populist conventions at St. Louis three weeks hence upon a platform dealing with no other issue than that of the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

The Chairmanship.

Sentiment among the silver men crystallized to-day in favor of the selection of either Gov. Stone of Missouri or W. J. Bryan of Nebraska as temporary chairman of the convention, with Senator Harris of Tennessee and Major Towles, secretary of the bimetallic committee, as permanent chairman and secretary, respectively. The story was published that Senator Harris had been definitely chosen as permanent chairman, but at the headquarters in the Sherman house the fact that no meeting had been held was cited as proof that this was purely guesswork. Through Senator Jones the silver men went on record as opposed to the suggestion made by members of the national democratic committee that senator David B. Hill might prove acceptable to both factions as temporary chairman.

Bland Boomers the Most Active.

In the absence of material—in the shape of delegates with votes—for the making of deals or the winning of converts, the boomers are expending their ammunition on the motley crowds that invariably invade the hotels on the eve of a national convention. Much after the fashion of the side show men at the circus, they take possession of the rotunda of the hotels and hold forth to those inclined to listen concerning the merits of their respective candidates. At one time last night four distinct booms were in process of advocacy on the ground floor of the Palmer house and the cheers and yells and shouts and ironical ejaculations of the listeners combined to create a din that can as well be imagined as described. The friends of Mr. Bland were the most active. In addition to their headquarters at the Palmer and the Auditorium annex, they opened up rooms in the entries of the Sherman house where a committee lay in wait to corral such of the arriving delegates as might first seek quarters of the silver committee.

Boies Men Not Disturbed.

The friends of ex-Gov. Boies are by no means disheartened by the claims of the Bland men, and fall back on the argument that it is votes rather than shouting that make nominees. Delegate Brewster of Creston, one of the chiefs of the Boies bureau, and who had a talk with Gov. Altgeld just before the latter left for Springfield, quoted him as declaring that he had not spoken a word on the subject of presidential possibilities, that he was no more friendly to Bland than to Boies, and that the time had not yet arrived when the Illinois delegation could listen itself to any one candidate. Out of this the adherents of the Iowa man managed to extract considerable comfort. There was more or less talk about the hotels to-day concerning a ticket made up of the two Bland and Boies—but the Iowa people threw down any suggestion that their candidate would accept second place.

No Eastern Man's Name Discussed.

Vice-President Stevenson and Gov. Matthews of Indiana were also talked of considerably for the second place on the ticket in the event of the nomination for the presidency going to Bland, and later ex-Gov. Campbell of Ohio was talked of in the same connection. Not a single name of any person hailing east of the Allegheny was brought up, however, and as one of the silver people put it, the general opinion seemed to be that if there was an eastern man of national reputation who is favorable to silver he must have taken to the woods before allowing his convictions to go on record.

Jentions of Gold Advocates.

Some of the silver men here manifest a disposition to resent the announced intention of gold advocates who are not delegates to the democratic national convention to come to Chicago with the avowed intention of influencing the course of proceedings. Voice was given to this feeling by Senator-elect Money of Mississippi, who said:

"It is an unheard-of proceeding for men like Mr. Whitney and Mr. Eckels, who have no credentials to a national convention, to attend it with the intention of influencing the action of delegates on a question of principle. It is, of course, usual for the friends of candidates to exert their influence upon delegates who believe as they do; but for men to come here, as these men do, to change the views of delegates who are instructed on a line of policy is either a piece of arrogance or a piece of folly, just as you choose to regard it. I say to them that either one of two constructions is to be put upon their conduct: they either propose to buy men outright, or they want to otherwise influence delegates to break with their constituents. Either policy will be resented, and I predict that the gold advocates who come to the convention without other excuse than that of exerting their influence on duly elected delegates will meet with a very cool reception. The convention will be silver from core to cuticle, and the gold influence cannot be used to change its character."

The Temporary Organization.

Concerning the temporary chairmanship of the convention, Senator Blackburn of Kentucky said to-day: "Senator Hill of New would undoubtedly make a very impartial chairman, but he is allied with the gold forces, and it would be a roundabout way of procedure for us to turn over to the minority of the convention its organization. It is not to be supposed that the majority are going to jeopardize their own work and chances. As for Gov. Altgeld, I never understood that he was a candidate for temporary chairmanship. Mark this," continued the senator, "this convention is in control of the silver men. That is fact beyond any question of doubt. On every question the stand of the majority will be to aid their movement. Now, if the gold men were in control, they would not think of giving us control of the temporary organization. That would be declared foolish by them, and I don't believe that they will expect us to do it. Any way, whether they do or not, we shall not act in that way. A silver man will wield the gavel. As to who will be chosen I cannot say. I have heard of one mentioned with any degree of interest. There are many candidates, and I have not committed myself to any of them. Jones of Arkansas would be a good man."

McLean's Friends Confident.

The friends of John R. McLean of Ohio are trading very confidently to-day of the showing they will make for him as a presidential candidate in the convention. They say he will have from the beginning not only the support of his own delegation, but also the assistance of many delegates from other states. They think that his availability will cause him to grow upon the convention from the beginning, and claim for him that his selection would make Ohio, Indiana and Illinois surely democratic at the polls.

For a One Day Convention.

Springfield, Ill., July 3.—Gov. Altgeld said this morning that if the free silver leaders have their way, the Chicago convention will be in session but one day. The silverites intend to make a vigorous effort to carry this idea into effect, and that is one reason why they are so determined to have a free-silver man for temporary chairman. They want a man who will expedite business in a manner that will meet their approval. The governor expects to return to Chicago on Sunday, and will then remain there until after the convention.

Two Fatally Burned by an Exploding Lamp.

Philadelphia, July 3.—By the explosion of a gasoline lamp yesterday afternoon at a pool room on Green street, three people were burned, two fatally, William Feinstein, owner of the place, and Jacob Rudolph, aged 15 years.

Treasury Gold Reserve.

Washington, July 3.—The treasury gold reserve at the opening of business to-day stood at \$101,329,573.

HOT WEATHER DYSPEPSIA.

Thousands suffer from it at this season of the year.

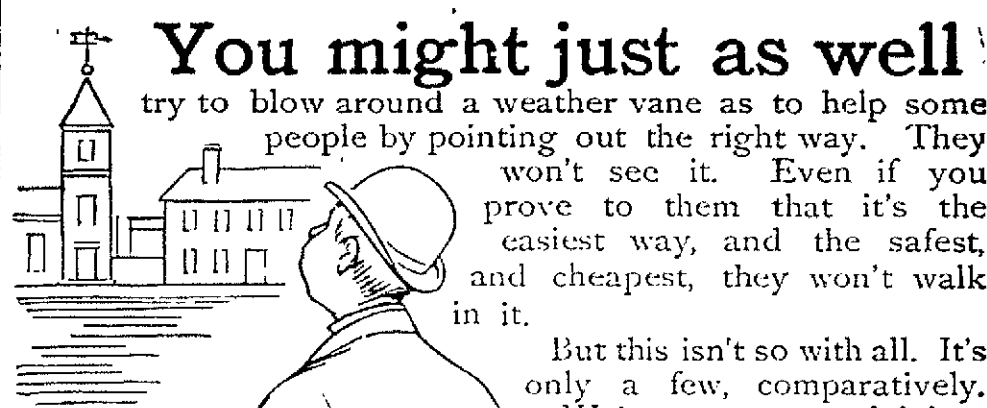
Hot weather dyspepsia may be recognized by the following symptoms: Depression of spirits, heaviness and pain in the stomach after meals, loss of flesh and appetite, no desire for food, bad taste in the mouth, especially in the morning, wind in the stomach and bowels, irritable disposition, nervous weakness, weariness, costiveness, headache, palpitation, heartburn. It is a mistake to treat such troubles with "tonics," "blood purifiers," "gastro-intestinal pills," because the whole trouble is in the stomach. It is indigestion or dyspepsia and nothing else.

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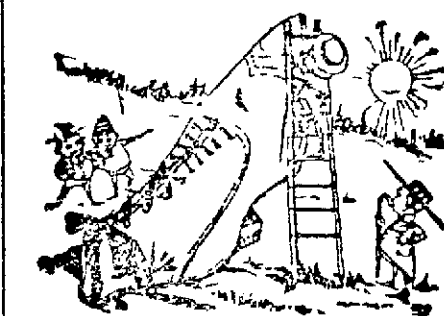
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TO BATTLE FOR GOLD

The Advance Guard of New York Delegates Starts for Chicago.

ACCOMPANYING EX-SEC. WHITNEY

Senator Gray, who is with the party, says he believes there will be a silver plank in the platform. Whitney silent.

New York, July 3.—The advance guard of the New York delegation of delegates started for Chicago from the Grand Central depot last evening. They went accompanying Mr. Whitney to make the fight for gold at the national convention. Mr. Whitney's party included Senator Gray of Delaware, Senator Smith of New Jersey, ex-Mayor Grant, former Police Commissioner Martin, Thomas F. Ryan, Col. G. B. M. Harvey, C. C. Baldwin, Smith M. Weed, Walter Stanton, H. J. MacDona, F. H. Du Bignon, Thomas J. Reagan and S. W. Hinckley. Senator Vest of Missouri, Senator Jones of Nevada and Gov. Hauser of Montana were on the train but not of the party. Senator Hill, ex-Gov. Russell and ex-Lieut. Gov. Sheehan will join Mr. Whitney at Albany. A delegation of Tammanyites saw the train off. Mr. Whitney said that he did not know what they could do at Chicago. "There is nothing to be said now," he said. "It has all been said before; we are going to do the best we can." Senator Gray said: "I expect there will be a silver plank in the Chicago platform, but no one as yet knows. I do not think Gov. Altgeld will be as big when the New Yorkers get there as he is now."

TO CURTAIL PRODUCTION.

New England Mill Owners Considering the Matter of Shutting Down.

Boston, July 3.—The report that there was to be a meeting of the Arkwright club yesterday to further consider the matter of curtailing production was erroneous. The matter of an agreement for the mills to sign, requiring signatures of mills representing 4,000,000 spindles to make it operative, was left in the hands of a committee. This committee had a meeting yesterday, but it is not ready to report as the full number of spindles required have not as yet been secured, but it is expected that the required number will be received by tonight. Wednesday five of the largest Fall River mills refused to sign unless the Arnold print and the Fall River Iron Works company signed the agreement, but now all the Fall River mills have agreed to close except the Iron Works (200,000 spindles), and one other mill with 44,330 spindles, so that out of 2,337,691 spindles in Fall River, 2,293,361 have signed the agreement. It does not seem to be generally known that two of the four mills of the Arnold Print works have been closed down entirely for over a year, and that it will probably be two months before they will start up, and that the other two mills are running on reduced time.

Exonerated for Killing a Prisoner.

New York, July 3.—The inquest regarding the death of Thomas F. Thornton, brother of the song writer, James Thornton, who was shot and killed on Sunday last in West Twenty-fifth street by policeman William J. Allingham, resulted in the officer's exoneration. The evidence showed that the officer had arrested Thomas Thornton and his brother John for assault and highway robbery. Thomas seized the officer's club and made a movement as if to draw a revolver. Policeman Allingham swore that he believed that his life was in danger when he fired the shot.

A River Court of Appeals.

Albany, July 3.—The court of appeals will not exhaust its present calendar before December 31. The calendar has been under consideration by the court for a period of nearly two years during which time fully 1,300 cases have been heard. A new calendar which will be taken up after January 1, 1897, will contain in the neighborhood of 1,500 cases and will probably consume the attention of the court for about two years.

The Cholera in Egypt.

London, July 3.—A dispatch from Cairo, Egypt, to the Daily News says that the cholera returns for June saw 4,429 cases and 1,228 deaths.

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WILL BOLT THE TICKET.

Sensational Manifesto of Minnesota Silver Republicans Against McKinley.

St. Paul, Minn., July 3.—The most sensational manifesto in Minnesota's history was that issued yesterday afternoon by the silver republicans who refuse to support McKinley for president. Though for governor or any of the republican candidates for congress. The prominence of the men signing it attracts to it widespread attention.

TO HER FINAL REST.

Funeral of the Late Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Hartford, July 3.—The funeral of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe was held at her late residence on Forest street in this city at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The services were of the simplest character. Scripture selections were read by the Rev. J. H. Twitchell of this city and the Rev. Charles T. Weitzel, assistant pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, and prayer was offered by the Rev. Francis Goodwin of this city. A male quartette sang "Nearer My God to Thee" and Mrs. Stowe's hymn, "The Other World." The body reposed in a casket covered with silver gray broadcloth which rested in a bank of ferns and flowers. The countenance had recovered much of Mrs. Stowe's younger looks. There were present beside the immediate family and friends in this city Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, Major James H. Pond and the Rev. Charles T. Weitzel, representing Plymouth church of Brooklyn; the Rev. Samuel Scoville of Stamford, son-in-law of Henry Ward Beecher, and Freeman Allen of Boston, grandson of Mrs. Stowe. The remains were taken to Andover, Mass., for interment this morning.

NEW YORK'S LIQUOR TAX.

The Total Sum for the State Will Aggregate About \$10,500,000.

Albany, July 3.—State Excise Commissioner Lyman has received word that the revenues so far collected under the Raines liquor tax law amount to \$4,761,074 in New York city, \$2,073,719 in Brooklyn and \$750,232 in Buffalo. The total sum collected in the state will reach \$10,000,000 by next week. It is expected that after the sixty confidential agents are placed at work on violations of the law that the receipts will aggregate \$10,500,000. The total receipts will be a great deal more than \$1,000,000 in excess of what was estimated when the governor signed the bill.

NEW PHILADELPHIA LOAN.

The Common Council Votes To Borrow \$5,000,000.

Philadelphia, July 3.—Common council yesterday afternoon passed the ordinance creating a new city loan of \$5,000,000. The ordinance has still to pass select council and there is a possibility that it may be defeated in the higher branch. The loan is intended to be used for various improvements and if passed will be the largest loan ever floated by the city of Philadelphia. The interest to be paid by the city on the loan is not to exceed 3 1/2 per cent. The net debt of the city of Philadelphia at the present time, exclusive of the new loan, is about \$14,000,000.

MRS. FLEMING'S MONEY.

Order To Turn Over the Balance of Her Inheritance, Amounting To \$10,000.

New York, July 3.—Justice Andrews in special term, part II, yesterday afternoon signed an order on the application of Mary Alice Almont Fleming, as she signed her name, directing the city chamberlain to pay over to her the balance of the fund in his hands which fell to Mrs. Fleming by the death of her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Bliss. The balance of the fund amounts to over \$90,000, about \$55,000 in mortgages, and \$4,000 in cash.

Insurgents Seize a Steamer.

Havana, July 3.—An insurgent force commanded by Urra, boarded a few days ago, the small steamer Susie from the beach at Bacurraunao, near this city. A detachment of marines and sailors belonging to the crew of the Spanish cruiser Venadito, was sent to the spot yesterday with artillery to recapture the Susie and drive the insurgents from this vicinity. The Spanish cruiser Reina Mercedes was also sent last night to cruise off the coast of Bacurraunao.

Your Boy Won't Live a month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St., South Garden, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had lung trouble following Typhoid Malaria and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors who finally gave him up, saying, "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work, a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for lung trouble. Trial bottles free at McMonagle & Rogers' Drug Store.

We are anxious to do a little good in this world and can think of no pleasanter or better way to do it than by recommending One Minute Cough Cure as a preventive of pneumonia, consumption and other serious lung troubles that too low neglected colds. W. D. Olney.

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AID FOR INSURGENTS

Another Big Filibustering Expedition Landed in Cuba.

ARMS AND AMMUNITION TAKEN IN

Insurgents Hold Up and Loot a Train—The Town of Mordazo Again Attacked—Matters Move—Matters Unknown.

Havana, July 3.—An important filibustering expedition has landed on the coast of the province of Pinar del Rio. According to the secret advices received here large quantities of arms, ammunition and other munitions of war were safely landed and are now in the hands of the rebels. Advices from Santiago de Cuba are to the effect that a train running to the Juragua iron mines was held up by insurgents and looted. It is said that the government has prohibited the export of bananas from the ports of Gibara and Baracoa, it being suspected that the vessels engaged in the fruit trade carry contraband of war. It is reported that rebels have again attacked the town of Mordazo, province of Santa Clara. No details are given. No news has been made public lately regarding the movements of Antonio Maceo in the province of Pinar del Rio.

AUSTIN CORBIN'S WILL.

His Estate, Valued at Several Million Dollars, Goes to Relatives.

New York, July 3.—The will of Austin Corbin, the late president of the Long Island railroad, who was accidentally killed a short time ago, has been offered for probate. The exact amount of the estate is not given, but it amounts to several million dollars, which is disposed of between his children and grandchildren and other relatives. His residence in Suffolk county goes to his widow, with all the furniture, horses and carriages. He also gives her a life interest in a house owned by him on Fifth avenue, this city, and also \$300,000 in cash. Isabella C. Edgell, Austin Corbin, jr., and Annie Corbin, his three children, receive each \$150,000 in cash. Miss Corbin gets \$60,000 with which to purchase a residence. The interest of Mr. Corbin in the Corbin Banking company is given to Austin Corbin, jr. Mrs. Mary C. Champlin, the deceased daughter of Mr. Corbin, shared equally in the will, and it was on account of her death that a codicil was added to the will. Her interest for life goes to her son, Andre. The balance of the estate, including the stock of the Long Island Railroad company and other corporations in which Mr. Corbin was largely interested, is given to the executors in trust to hold during the life of Mrs. Corbin. After her death the property is to be divided among the children and grandchildren.

MURDER ATTEMPTED IN COURT.

A Young Woman Tries To Shoot the Defendant in Her Sister's Damage Suit.

San Francisco, July 3.—Emma Ashler, sister of Lillian Ashley, the plaintiff in the Baldwin-Ashley damage suit, who yesterday fired a shot from a revolver at E. J. Baldwin, the defendant, in open court, is believed to be insane. It appears that a certain photograph was produced, detrimental to the case of the plaintiff, who gave a signal to her sister, who sat immediately behind Baldwin. Miss Ashley thereupon whipped out a revolver, and aiming it at his head fired, the bullet taking off several of his curls. The court room was all excitement in a moment. The would-be murderess was quickly seized and hurried to prison.

TORN DOWN OLD GLORY.

A Private in the Pennsylvania National Guard Dishonorably Discharged.

Chester, Pa., July 3.—Charles Blackburn, a private in Company B, Sixth regiment, P. N. G., has been dishonorably discharged for tearing down the American flag. Col. P. M. Washburn signed the discharge. The act was committed on the night of McKinley's nomination during a public demonstration. Blackburn was roughly handled by the militia at the time.

The Fort Moseley Explosion.

Berlin, July 3.—The Vossische Zeitung's correspondent at Metz telegraphs that there were ten officers and more than 300 soldiers around the arsenal when the explosion occurred. Fifty of these were killed outright or fatally injured. There was also a crowd of civilians watching the fire at the time, and some of them were killed. The number of civilian victims, however, is as yet unknown.

Support of Work Among College Students.

Norfolk, Mass., July 3.—Plodges taken yesterday towards the support of an extension of work among college students during the coming year amounted to \$1,400. D. L. Moody spoke last night on "The Holy Spirit," and will continue the subject to-day.

Russian Trade in China.

St. Petersburg, July 3.—The Norvost announces that Russia has obtained absolute freedom of trade in China.

Can't Eat

* Breakfast—

a failing altogether too common with Americans. Due generally to excesses of some sort, whether over-work or dissipation the result is the same. "The candle is being burnt at both ends." The man who begins the day in this way is living on vital forces that should be husbanded. If you can't eat in the morning as you should, take a glass of milk containing a tablespoonful of

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Installation of Officers—The Band Concert—To Make a New Jury List—Tomorrow's Races—Personal and Local Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

The Officers of the Foresters will be installed, to-night, by District Deputy John McLaughlin, of Montgomery.

An unusually large crowd attended the band concert, last night. The festival on the lawn was, as usual, very successful.

The Town Assessors will meet Monday for the purpose of making a new jury list.

Chas. T. Jackson, of East Orange, N. J., and Wm. W. Tuckill, of New York, will spend the Fourth in town.

Catacombs will meet, to-night.

The nurses are well liked and some fact horses will start at the Driving Park, to-morrow. The 2:30 class promises to be particularly exciting.

Miss Mary Champion is visiting for a few days at the home of Miss Anna Carpenter, near Mapes' Corner.

The Boys' Brigade will elect officers at their meeting next Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelly, of New York, will spend the Fourth in town.

Timothy and Kieran will play with the Chester base ball team, when they meet the Cuban X-Giants, on Monday, July 6th.

Miss Elsie Hulse is visiting relatives at Goshen.

A VERY SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Gilbert Stewart, of Wawayanda, Pierced by a Falling Crowbar.

Gilbert Stewart, who lives in the vicinity of Gardenville, met with a very serious accident, yesterday afternoon. He was assisting some workmen in repairing his barn, when a crowbar fell, pointing downward, from a scaffold, on the upper part of the building, and struck Mr. Stewart, who was standing underneath. The point of the crowbar penetrated his body to a considerable depth, the help of another man being necessary to remove the bar. Drs. Moyses and Evans were hastily summoned. The injury is a very painful one, and very serious consequences are feared.

AT THE CAMPBELL TRACK.

Fast Time Made by Horses Entered for the Goshen Races, To-morrow.

Several of the horses entered for the Goshen races, to-morrow, were worked out, yesterday, at the Campbell track. Monte Cristo, of whom great things are expected went a great mile. The whole time was not given out but he went the last half in 1:06, the last quarter in 31 1/2 and the eighth in 14 seconds.

C. E. Crawford's Martinford went a mile in 2:39 the best time he has ever made.

E. J. Wood will drive Jack Shields in to-morrow's race.

A Mishap at Franklin Square.

Madison Decker, accompanied by his young son, was driving past Franklin Square, this morning, when the wheel of the wagon caught in a switch of the electric road. The horse was thrown on the slippery pavement, and the sudden stop precipitated the occupants of the vehicle over the dashboard. The boy fell at the hind feet of the kicking horse and narrowly escaped serious injury. Strange to say neither horse, harness nor wagon was damaged.

Monahagan Drill and Eat Chums.

Monahagan Hose Company held a practice meeting on Grand avenue, last evening, after which a special meeting was held in the truck house. A number of applications for membership were received. The Klum Klub served a lunch to the members of the company after the meeting.

Phoenix Engine Co.'s Picnic.

Remember Phoenix Engine Company's picnic at Columbia Park, to-morrow afternoon and evening. There will be dancing and other amusements. Dancing tickets twenty-five cents.

Only the sufferer knows the misery of dyspepsia, but Hood's Sarsaparilla cures the most stubborn cases of this disease.

A Farmer's Bad Luck.

A luckless farmer while driving through Franklin Square, this morning, was brought to a sudden standstill by the splitting of one of the hubs of his wagon which let the vehicle drop to the ground. He had to borrow a wheel to get out of town.

The Post Office and the Fourth.

The post office will be open to-morrow until 11 a. m. and from 7 to 8 p. m. The carriers will make but one delivery and that in the morning.

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FRIDAY JULY 3, 1896.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE ARGUS IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN TIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Fair, cooled by showers, tonight or Saturday afternoon cooler. Saturday night: southerly shifting to northerly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following are the heights of the thermometer at Goshen during the day:

7 a. m. 72; 10 a. m. 84; 3 p. m. 91.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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No Paper To-morrow.

To-morrow being Independence Day no paper will be issued from issued from this office.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Helen Monahagan, on seventh night.
—Miss Harriet Hirst has recently purchased a new bicycle.
—A very bright train will be run on the O. and W. to-morrow.
—A meeting of the Middletown Engine Co. is being held.
—It is rumored that a prominent member of the Middletown Hose Co. will shortly join the ranks of the Boarders.
—Whooping cough is very prevalent in the vicinity of Todd, Brown and DeWitt's, Delaware.

—The news matter usually placed on the first page will be found on the inside pages of to-day's issue.

—The Monahagan Germania held its picnic at Midway Park last night. The excellent singing delighted a large crowd of pleasure-seekers.

—At the primary meeting of the Middletown C. O. R. M. last night, three candidates were nominated and seven new applications were received.

—Mrs. Leman has invited Ernest Wheeler to play at St. Paul's Church, Sunday evening. He is having a vacation now at the church of which he is organist in Westfield, N. J., has no evening services during July and August.

PERSONAL.

—A. J. Vail, Esq., real estate, will spend the Fourth at Florida. Mr. Vail's summer home.

—Special County Judge H. B. Fullerton of Port Jervis, was in town, today.

—The Barber says, Lat Devo Vergara, of Rockland, is visiting at J. B. Wilkes, in this city.

—Mrs. Levi Harding, of Fremont Centre, Sullivan county, is visiting friends in this city.

—Oliver B. Hill is spending a few days with Rev. S. M. Cole and family, at Bridgeville.

—Mrs. L. Cole, of Middletown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James M. Adams, of Dicksboro—Reveries.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bush, of Middletown, visited Mrs. Bush's parents in Livingston Manor, this week—Eversen.

—The Parkville correspondent of the *Evening* says that Miss Georgiana Ross, of Middletown, is visiting her parents at that place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Emil E. E. Rausch and daughter, Helen, went to Fremont Centre, Sullivan county, this morning, to visit relatives.

—Mrs. Geo. A. McKee and daughter, of this city, and Miss Robinson, of Warwick, will go to Chicago on Erie train 5, this evening.

—Joseph A. Farrell, one of the graduates of St. Joseph's Parochial School last week, has taken a position in the drug store of McMonagle & Rogers.

—Mrs. M. L. Bogert and grandchild, the daughter of Mr. C. C. Bogert, went to Hancock, this morning. They will spend the summer in that vicinity.

—Mr. H. W. Miller and son left, today, on O. and W. train 1, for a month or two's visit in the coal region and through the Wyoming Valley, Pa.

—Postal Clerk Frank O. Grover, who was injured by being dragged from a wagon a few days ago, has since recovered that he was able to return to work today.

—A. T. Decker, traveling salesman for McMonagle & Rogers, returned to his home last night, from a five weeks' business trip, which was mostly in the New England States.

—Mrs. Susan M. Corwin and sister, Mrs. M. E. Miller, will leave on Erie train 5, this afternoon, for Chicago, to visit a month with their sister, Mrs. Henry R. Swozy. Mrs. Miller's daughter, Miss Annie K., will accompany them.

—Messdames Frank Harding and L. E. Conkling went to Liberty, today, with their families, and will spend a week with J. D. Scott, Messrs. Harding and Conkling will spend the Fourth and Sunday with them.

Died from an Overdose of Laudanum.

Emil Martin, a Hamptonburgh farm hand who took an overdose of laudanum, Monday, died from its effects, Tuesday. No inquest was held, the coroner not having been notified, so it is not known whether death was the result of purpose or accident.

PROCEEDINGS OF LAST NIGHT'S REGULAR MEETING.

Sewer Commissioners Approve a Sewer, But Property Owners Don't Want It—Bakers Want to Pay a License—New Light Ordered—Inconsistency and Discourtesy of the Majority—Loan for the New School—Somebody's Mistake—Expensive Transportation of Prisoners—Streets Accepted—To Vote on an Additional Water Supply—Bills Audited.

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held, last evening, present: all the members except Alderman Close.

W. B. Royce, Esq., addressed the Council in reference to the acceptance of streets in the Gardner tract, releases for which were filed some time ago. Mr. Gardner wanted to get water in the streets and barked that action be taken at once.

Sewer Commissioner Gibbs stated that a sewer had been ordered put through Linden avenue by resolution a year ago, but the Commissioners did not seem it advisable to build it until the town water was removed from the north street sewer. That having been most accomplished it was now thought best to construct the Linden avenue sewer before others now contemplated.

President Dorrance said he thought the streets of the town did not desire the sewer at this time.

Mr. Thorpe presented a proof of the alleged by-laws of Middletown Engine Co. for approval. Referred to the Fire Committee.

WANT TO PAY A LICENSE.

Supervisor Leman appeared in the interest of the bakers of the city, who desired that a nominal license fee should be paid of all persons, who sell or deliver bread from wagons. The object was to shut out parties who sell at any price. The business he said was very poor and it was with difficulty the bakers could make a living. They had agreed upon a uniform price and asked protection. Referred to the Law Committee.

Residents of a Berlin avenue asked for two incandescent lights on the avenue. Referred to the Lighting Committee.

Property owners on Charles street protested against flagging that street at present. The protest was placed on file. No petition to flag had been received, but the protest was in anticipation of one.

NEW LIGHTS ORDERED.

Mr. Daboll moved that an arc light be placed in Wisner avenue near the O. and W. crossing; also that one be placed on East Main street near Woodlawn avenue. Both were ordered.

Mr. May moved that a cross walk be laid on Linden avenue on the south side of Prospect street. Carried.

Mr. Reed moved that an incandescent light be placed at corner of East Main and Orchard streets and that the gas lamp at that place be moved to East Main street near Woodlawn avenue. Both were ordered.

Mr. Reed moved that a gas lamp be placed at the head of the alley leading to the Armstrong & Lyon property. Carried.

Mr. Reed moved that flag walks be ordered in front of premises of T. M. Foote on Harding street, and Mrs. Nora Denton on West Main street, be laid by the city and the cost borne by the property. This motion was withdrawn on the advice of the city attorney, and a motion to give notice to the parties by publication was carried.

Mr. Hirst moved that an incandescent lamp be placed on Mill street near the gas mill. Carried.

VERY SMALL BUSINESS.

Mr. Hirst said the gas light on Wilcox avenue is now shaded by telephone poles and moved it be changed to the opposite side of the street.

Mr. Bowler moved to refer to the Lighting Committee.

Mr. Funnell asked that Mr. Hirst's motion be adopted.

Mr. Reed thought the telephone company should remove its pole.

Mr. Funnell reminded Mr. Reed that he had just secured an order for removing a lamp at Orchard and East Main streets.

Mr. Bowler insisted on his amendment, although the President ruled that the amendment having been offered before the original motion was seconded was out of order.

The matter was chewed over until no one knew where he was at, except Mr. Hirst, who said he did not wish to have any more time wasted over the matter. The President finally yielded to Mr. Bowler, and put the amendment to rest to the committee which he had declared out of order, and it was carried.

INCONSISTENCY AND WILKINSON.

Mr. Reed's inconsistency in opposing Mr. Hirst's motion, ten minutes after carrying through his own motion of like character, was apparent to the duller mind in the room, and there was a general laugh at his expense when Mr. Funnell made the point against him.

Mr. Dorrance's weakness in permitting Messrs. Bowler and Reed to break down his ruling was not creditable to the presiding officer. The explanation on all this is doubtless that Mr. Hirst is the only Democratic Alderman and the object was to impress upon him the fact that he has no rights the majority is bound to respect. If any other member of the Council had made the motion it would have promptly carried without a dissenting vote. It was very small business for men, but then it was characteristic of the small men who make up this hold-over city government.

Mr. Reed moved that the Council borrow (he probably meant to authorize the Mayor to borrow) \$14,500, the additional appropriation for the high school, the same to be raised by tax in sums of

WHOSE MISTAKE IS THIS?

Mr. Munce said the curb as now being set on Prospect street, between Highland avenue and Watkins avenue, narrows the street about two feet. He moved that the street superintendent examine the original survey of the street and if the line given by the engineer is not correct to stop work at once.

The street superintendent said he was following the stakes set by the engineer, but it did not look right to him. He said the maps of such improvements should be in the hands of Council and approved by that body before work is done and expense incurred.

Bills of \$59 for each of the Excise Commissioners for services rendered until they were legislated out of office were referred to Council by the Board of Charities.

A communication from the Naphtha Co. gave \$2.25 per month for each naphtha lamp until replaced by the electric lights.

EXPENSIVE TRANSPORTATION OF PRISONERS.

Mr. Bowler reported on J. Skelton's bill for \$1.50 for taking three prisoners to Goshen or fifty cents for each man. He said the Recorder claimed being a special officer he had a right to take his prisoners to jail; the Mayor, however, claimed that Mr. Skelton was appointed only for the O. and W. R. R. and not for the city proper. He had returned the bill for correction and the charge for car fare was reduced to fifty cents, the correct sum.

On Mr. Hirst's motion it was ordered that hereafter all prisoners sent to jail or prison shall be in charge of the city police.

TWO STREETS ACCEPTED.

Mr. Munce, of the Street Committee, reported on the release of streets in the Gardner tract, Woodlawn and Gardner avenues were in condition to be accepted, but Horton avenue was not, but if as Mr. Royce had stated, Horton avenue had been used as a street more than twenty years, it probably would make no difference whether it is accepted or not.

Mr. Munce moved to accept Woodlawn and Gardner avenues. Carried.

The street superintendent was directed to make necessary repairs to Genung street.

TO VOTE ON AN ADDITIONAL WATER SUPPLY.

Mr. Hirst called up the communication of the Water Commissioners, asking that the matter of an additional water supply be submitted to the taxpayers. He offered a resolution ordering a special election of the taxable inhabitants to be held at the Corporation Rooms, on Tuesday, July 21, from 2 to 8 p. m., to vote on the proposition to appropriate the sum named in the certificate. Adopted, all voting except Mr. Reed, who voted no. Mr. Skelton was not present.

BILLS AUDITED.

The following bills were audited:

Police, \$268 65
Pay roll, 694 25
C. H. Smith, salary, 75 00
A. H. Reed, 50 00
Otis, Hardinburg, 50 00
Gas Co., 208 57
J. P. Mulford, storage, 335 50
Nashville Co., 27 00
J. H. Conkling, 26 50
F. S. R. Frank, 25 00
Carl Johnson, extra driver, 354 52
Electric Light Co., 39 00
L. S. Wisner, sand, 39 00

FIRE PROTECTION TO-MORROW.

Special Arrangements in Case of Fourth of July Fires.

Arrangements have been made with Riverman Louis Wilkinson to provide a team and wagon with hose, to be stationed in Eagle Hose Company's house to-morrow, during the absence of the company at Ellenville.

Excelsior's team will be harnessed all day in the truck house, ready for fire at a moment's notice should one occur.

Meeting With the State Assessors.

The Supervisors and Assessors of this county are at Newburgh, today, to meet the State Assessors, who are seeking information as to the manner of assessing property in the county.

Bounty for Maple Sugar Makers.

Maple sugar makers in the Midland counties are now receiving checks on government bounty due them. About 700 persons will be benefited and will receive from \$5 to \$150.

A Fish Bass.

Wesley Decker caught a fine black bass, yesterday, in the Walkkill. The fish weighed three and one-half pounds several hours after it had been taken from the water.

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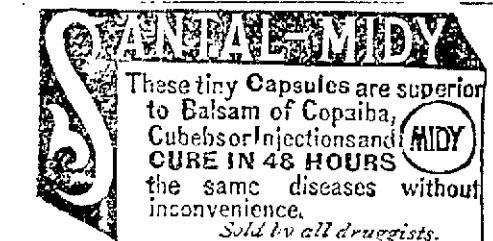
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RIOT AND BLOODSHED

One Member of the Mob at Cleveland Shot Down.

KILLED BY A SCIENTIFIC STUDENT

The Latter, Who Came from the Brown Hoisting Works, Attacked by the Mob—Police Charge and Club Right and Left.

Cleveland, O., July 3.—Bloodshed again marked the trouble at the Brown hoisting works last evening. One man was shot dead by a non-union man who had attempted to leave the works on his bicycle and was attacked by a portion of the mob. The police managed to rescue him and the police detail was besieged in a shop and had great difficulty in preventing the lynching of their prisoner. Finally a call for troops was made and two of the four companies under arms were hurried to the scene. After their arrival the prisoner was loaded into a patrol wagon and about 7:30 looked up in the Central police station.

Charged on the Crowd.

The troops remained on guard and for a long time a sullen mob of at least 10,000 men remained about the premises. Shortly before the hour of quitting several strikers marched up to the Brown works with a big banner on which was written in big black type, "Brown's scabs." At 4:30 the workmen were marshaled into line and the police force formed the usual hollow square. Capt. English gave the word, the gates were opened and the workmen surrounded by 150 policemen with clubs in hand, marched out. The crowd gave way and the procession moved up Hamilton street to Case on the way to the St. Clair street cars. The crowd followed as on Wednesday evening, yelling "scab" and made a lively demonstration. Contrary to what the mayor declared would be done, the police allowed the mob to follow up Hamilton street. The officers marched steadily forward to Case, up Windsor to Wilson avenue. At the Fourth precinct station, near Euclid a halt was made and the workmen sent into the station. Then the police formed again across the street. At this time the following party was a dense black crowd reaching far down Wilson avenue. Suddenly the word "charge" was heard and the police sprang forward like a shot out of a gun. In a moment they were upon the vanguard of the crowd. The latter were disarmed.

Clubbed by the Police.

There was a waver and then all turned and fled. But they were too late to escape punishment. The batons of the police were falling like hail on the heads of the men. The crowd was panic stricken. Two cars blocked the way north of Wilson avenue and the men, women and children were packed together in a tight mass, yelling and shrieking. One part broke away and ran down the Cleveland & Pittsburgh track close at hand. Another went south on Wilson. Men were lying unconscious on the streets or crawling around in a vain attempt to rise to their feet. The police dividing into squads charged after each of the crowd, determined to inflict punishment severe and unrelenting. This lasted for several minutes and then returning squads of policemen began to gather up unconscious men and others who were staggering around as a result of severe blows.

Shot by a Scientific Student.

The man shot near the works at the beginning of the trouble was William Rettger, aged 19, a brother of the baseball pitcher, formerly with Cleveland. The trouble was started by an attack made by the mob on one of the students of a scientific school in this city. Ten of the students have been working at the hoisting works for some time, making a practical study of certain mechanical work. Up to yesterday they have waited until the non-union workmen had been escorted away and then went home unmolested. Yesterday afternoon one of them, A. G. Saunders, 19 years old, left on his wheel as usual. He was assailed with cries of "Scab!" and stones were thrown at him. When he had reached a point about a block away he was struck on the head by a stone and a great gash was cut. He fell from the bicycle and the mob howled "Kill the scab!" and made a rush for him. As he rose he drew a revolver and shot Rettger through the heart.

Reasoned by the Police.

The squad of police left to guard the Brown works witnessed the shooting and, charging down the street, rescued Saunders, who was again on the ground being kicked and buffeted. The police drew their revolvers and managed by great efforts to get the injured youth into the office of the Bishop works. The mob outside, which had swelled to 3,000, infuriated by the sight of the dead man, howled "Lynch him!" and were preparing to make a charge on the building in which the police had taken refuge when a reinforcement of police attacked the rear and clubbed their way to the building. The crowd was then kept at bay until a company of militia marched on to the scene when the mob scattered and Saunders was taken to the Central police station.

Threats of Incendiarism.

The whole section of the city where the workmen live is in a state of ferment, as threats have been made to burn the residences of the men who are working. There is also apprehension that the trouble has only begun and that a strike of iron workers embracing every branch of the industry in Cleveland may come about at any moment.

THE MUSCULAR SYSTEM



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Against a Bolt at Chicago.

Non, July 3.—In an interview George Fred Williams, one of the delegates-at-large to the national democratic convention, made some interesting and forcible declaration on the political situation which ought to attract national attention. Briefly speaking, Mr. Williams said that his political influence will be turned against a bolt in the Chicago convention if a silver platform is adopted. Mr. Williams says he is willing to take his chances with free coinage. The tariff he declared it cut only a small figure in the campaign.

Seized Gloucester Fishing Schooner
 Halifax, N. S., July 3.—The Evening Echo says the evidence so far taken in the case of the seized Gloucester fishing schooner Frederick Geering, Jr., is considered to be largely in favor of the defense, and if she escapes condemnation there is no doubt the owners of the vessel will present to the Dominion government a heavy bill for damages.

Tin-Plate Workers' Wage Scale.
 Pittsburg, July 3.—The conference of manufacturers and workers interested in the tin-plate wage scale is now in session with every prospect that an amicable agreement will be had. The result affects the interests of about 15,000 workmen in various parts of the country. Already six manufacturers have signed the document.

Return of the Charleston.
 San Francisco, July 3.—The cruiser Charleston has returned to San Francisco after an absence of two years in Asiatic waters. She will soon go to Mare Island to receive a general overhauling.

Cordage Property Sale Withdrawn.
 New York, July 3.—The sale of property formerly owned by the United States Cordage Company, located in Philadelphia and Easton, Pa., and upon which the United States Trust Company held a mortgage for \$7,500,000, which was foreclosed on May 29, was to have been held at the Liberty Street Real Estate exchange yesterday, but was withdrawn indefinitely.

Injured in a Peculiar Manner.
 Saratoga, N. Y., July 3.—While Hon. George West was en route from New York to his home at Ballston Spa yesterday the window of the parlor car in which he was seated fell, crushing the fingers of his left hand. When the train reached Troy a physician was summoned, and after dressing the wounds gave it as his opinion that two of the fingers were so badly crushed that amputation would probably be necessary.

200,000 Pounds of Wool Burned.
 Galveston, Tex., July 3.—Twenty cars belonging to the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railroad and containing 200,000 pounds of wool were destroyed by fire last evening.

National League Games Yesterday.
 At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 3, Philadelphia 3. At Chicago—Chicago 3, Cleveland 7. At Washington—Boston 4, Washington 2. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 7, St. Louis 5.

Minor League Games.
 Scranton, 21; Wilkes-Barre 3. Providence 7; Springfield 5. Syracuse 1; Rochester 14. Paterson 6; Hartford 6.

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